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MEMORANDUM NO. 2009-039

TO: School District Superintendents
Curriculum Coordinators

FROM: Tom Collins, Standards Team Supervisor
Standards and Assessment Unit

DATE: February 27, 2009

SUBJECT: 2009 Body of Evidence Peer Review

INFORMATION TO SHARE

PLEASE DISTRIBUTE TO PERSONS RESPONSIBLE FOR YOUR BODY OF EVIDENCE

The Wyoming Department of Education would like to remind districts of details of the 2009 Body of Evidence (BOE) Peer Review in Lander on April 27-28 and May 4-5.

Where: The Inn at Lander, Lander, Wyoming

When:

BOE Peer Review Session I: April 27th and 28th 8:00am-5:00pm

BOE Peer Review Session II: May 4th and 5th 8:00am-5:00pm

What to bring or send:

Each district must bring or send 6 copies of their BOE plan to the Peer Review. If no one from your district will be in attendance at the Peer Review, you must send the copies of your plan to arrive no later for Session I than Friday, April 26, and for Session II no later than Friday, May 3 to the:

Wyoming Department of Education
c/o Tom Collins
2020 E. Grand Ave, Suite 500
Laramie, WY 82070

We would like to remind districts that the BOE Peer Review Guidelines specify that each district:

“Submit two (2) content areas (one core and one non-core) that illustrate how the criteria are being implemented through the district’s Body of Evidence. This will help reviewers see how all the criteria fit together into one coherent system for these two content areas.”

Each of the two content area examples should include at least one (but not limited to one) sample assessment, together with evidence of alignment, consistency, standard-setting, fairness and comparability.

BOE Peer Review Session I:

Albany 1	Carbon 2	Fremont 2	Fremont 38
Big Horn 1	Campbell 1	Fremont 6	Hot Springs 1
Big Horn 2	Converse 1	Fremont 14	Johnson 1
Big Horn 3	Converse 2	Fremont 21	Laramie 1
Big Horn 4	Crook 1	Fremont 24	Laramie 2
Carbon 1	Fremont 1	Fremont 25	Washakie 1

BOE Peer Review Session II:

Goshen 1	Lincoln 1	Park 16	Sublette 1
Lincoln 2	Platte 1	Sublette 9	Uinta 4
Natrona 1	Platte 2	Sweetwater 1	Uinta 6
Niobrara 1	Sheridan 1	Sweetwater 2	Washakie 2
Park 1	Sheridan 2	Teton 1	Weston 1
Park 6	Sheridan 3	Uinta 1	Weston 7

Refer to the BOE website, <http://www.k12.wy.us/SAA/BOE.asp>, Wyoming Assessment Handbook, BOE Submission Guidelines, Scoring Rubric, current glossary of terms, and Peer Review Questions and Answers.

If you have questions please contact Tracy Stibitz, tstibi@educ.state.wy.us, (307) 777-7963 or Tom Collins, tcolli@educ.state.wy.us (307) 777-3493.

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